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For: DEVICE FOR TREATING AND PROMOTING HEALING OF DAMAGED BODY TISSUE

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 PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS
 WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

CONTINUATION-IN-PART APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Sir:

Please file the enclosed application as a continuation-in-part application under 37 CFR 1.53(b), of pending prior application Serial No. 09/874,539, filed June 5, 2001, entitled DEVICE FOR TREATING AND PROMOTING HEALING OF DAMAGED BODY TISSUE

1. ☒ The filing fee is calculated below:

CLAIMS IN THE APPLICATION AFTER THE AMENDMENT BELOW

For: Basic Filing Fee	No. filed	No. extra	Fees for	
			small entity	large entity
Total claims	22-20=	2 = \$18	\$370	\$740
Indep. claims	3- 3=	0		
[] Multiple Dependent Claim				
Total			\$370	

*If the difference in Col. 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in Col. 2

2. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply (complete (a) or (b) as applicable)

- (a) [] Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.17(a)(d) for the total number of months checked below:

	Extension (months)	Fee for other than small entity	Fee for small entity
[]	one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
[]	two months	\$ 400.00	\$200.00
[]	three months	\$ 920.00	\$460.00

Fee \$

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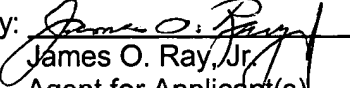
- ☐ An extension for ___ months has already been requested and the fee therefor of \$_____ is included in the amount enclosed herewith.

Extension fee due with this request \$_____

OR

- (b) ☒ Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.
3. ☒ Check No. 5341 in the amount of \$388.00 to cover the filing fee and check no. _____ in the amount of \$_____ to cover the extension of time is enclosed.
4. ☐ Declaration and Power of Attorney
5. ☒ Applicant qualifies for small entity status.
6. ☐ Remarks are enclosed.
7. ☒ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:
This is a ☒ continuation-in-part, ☐ division, of application Serial No. 09/874,539, filed June 5, 2001.

Respectfully submitted,

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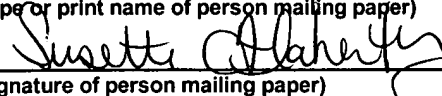
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